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Multiple Dependent			
Large Entity	Small Entity		
Fee Code	Fee Code	Fee Description	
1202 50	2202 25	Claims in excess of 20	
1201 200	2201 100	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203 360	2203 180	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid	
1204	2204	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205	2205	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
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1251	2251	Extension for reply within first month	
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1255	2255	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	2401	Notice of Appeal	
1402	2402	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	2403	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	2451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In response to the Office Action of November 9, 2004, please enter the following amendments. A Request for Continued Examination accompanies this amendment.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7.

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